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BRITISH GUIANA.

Report from Georgetown—Quarantine imposed against Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, on account of yellow fever.

Consul Clare reports, December 26:

The consular agent at Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, reports under date of December 21, that 7 cases of yellow fever have occurred at that place since December 18, 2 of which terminated fatally.

The authorities at this port have imposed a strict quarantine against Paramaribo.

CHINA.

Report from Hankau—Fatal plague case on steamship.

Consul Martin reports, December 5, the occurrence of a fatal case of plague in the person of a fireman (Chinese) on a steamship in the port of Hankau. The vessel was immediately ordered to the quarantine station at Shanghai. There is no plague in Hankau.

CUBA.

Report from Cienfuegos—Inspection of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Suarez reports, January 4:

Week ended January 2.

Vessels inspected	3
Bills of health issued	3
Members of crews inspected	95

No quarantinable disease was reported during the week.

Week ended January 9. No transactions.

Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—New case of smallpox at Mariel quarantine station from steamship Floride—Proposed quarantine station in Santiago Harbor.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Amessee reports, January 11:

Week ended January 9.

Vessels inspected	25
Bills of health issued	29
Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected	1,310
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected	860

No further cases of yellow fever have been reported from the focus recently found in Oriente Province. All the prophylactic measures indicated are being vigorously carried out.

One additional case of smallpox appeared at Mariel quarantine among the passengers taken from the French steamship *Floride* on December 27. (See Public Health Reports January 8, 1909, p. 38.)

Provision for a modern quarantine station to be constructed on Cayo Duan, in the harbor of Santiago de Cuba, was made by the provisional government during the week.